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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)Applicant/Patent Owner: Young-Hyeon Kwag, et al.Application No./Patent No.: 10/531,971Filed/Issue Date: April 20, 2005Entitled: **MICROORGANISM PRODUCING 5'-XANTHYLIC ACID**CJ Cheiljedang Corp., a

(Name of Assignee)

corporation

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Signature

KIM, Jin-Soo

Printed or Typed Name

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Title

February 4, 2008

Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, CJ Corporation, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Republic of Korea (hereinafter referred to as "Assignor"), having its principal office and place of business at 500, 5-ga, Namdaemun-ro, Chung-gu, Seoul, Republic OF Korea 100-095 is the sole owner of a certain new and useful invention relating to a MICROORGANISM PRODUCING 5'-XANTHYLIC ACID for which application for Letters Patent has been made as U.S. Patent Application No. 10/531,971 that was filed on April 20, 2005; and

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner and in full possession of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

WHEREAS, CJ Cheiljedang Corp., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Republic of Korea, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), having its principal office and place of business at CJ Bldg., 500, Namdaemunno 5-ga, Jung-gu, Seoul 100-802, Republic of Korea is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (U.S. \$1.00) and other valuable considerations to Assignor paid by said Assignee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, that may be granted therefor, together with any and all continuations, divisions, or reissues, and Assignor does hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue in accordance with this Assignment any and

all Letters Patent that may be granted, either on said application or otherwise for said invention to CJ Cheiljedang Corp. as the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for sole use and benefit of CJ Cheiljedang Corp., its successors or assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.


CJ Corporation

Name: SON, Kyung-Sik
Title: CEO
Date: Feb. 1, 2008